

1. (Amended) A composition comprising:  
(a) at least one silicone/acrylate copolymer; and  
(b) at least one nonionic polymer comprising at least one vinyl lactam unit chosen from polyvinylpyrrolidone/vinyl acetate/vinyl propionate terpolymers,

wherein said at least one silicone/acrylate copolymer is derived from radical-mediated polymerization of:

- (i) at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer (a); and
- (ii) at least one silicone derivative (b) comprising at least one oxyalkylene group.

8. (Amended) A composition according to Claim 3, wherein said at least one monomer of formula (I<sub>a</sub>) is chosen from esters obtained from linear C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> alkyls, branched C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> alkyls, C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> carboxylic alcohols, polyfunctional alcohols comprising 2 to 8 hydroxyl groups, alcohol ethers and polyalkylene glycols.

12. (Amended) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer (a) is chosen from C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> vinyl esters, C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> allyl esters, linear C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> carboxylic acids, branched C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> carboxylic acids, vinyl halides, allyl halides, vinyl lactams, heterocyclic compounds substituted with at least one group chosen from vinyl groups and allyl groups, N-vinylimidazoles, diallyl amines, vinylidene chloride, carbon-based unsaturated compounds, acrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin and methacrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin.

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16. (Amended) A composition according to Claim 1, wherein said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer (a) is chosen from N-vinylimidazoles, diallylamines, vinylidene chloride, carbon-based unsaturated compounds, acrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin and methacrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin.

50. (Amended) A process for holding or shaping a hairstyle, comprising applying to hair an effective amount of a composition comprising:

(a) at least one silicone/acrylate copolymer; and

(b) at least one nonionic polymer comprising at least one vinyl lactam unit chosen from polyvinylpyrrolidone/vinyl acetate/vinyl propionate terpolymers,

wherein said at least one silicone/acrylate copolymer is derived from radical-mediated polymerization of:

(i) at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer (a); and

(ii) at least one silicone derivative (b) comprising at least one oxyalkylene group.

57. (Amended) A composition according to Claim 52, wherein said at least one monomer of formula (I<sub>a</sub>) is chosen from esters obtained from linear C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> alkyls, branched C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> alkyls, C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> carboxylic alcohols, polyfunctional alcohols comprising 2 to 8 hydroxyl groups, alcohol ethers and polyalkylene glycols.

61. (Amended) A process according to Claim 50, wherein said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer (a) is chosen from C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> vinyl esters, C<sub>1</sub> to C<sub>40</sub>

allyl esters, linear C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> carboxylic acids, branched C<sub>3</sub> to C<sub>40</sub> carboxylic acids, vinyl halides, allyl halides, vinyl lactams, heterocyclic compounds substituted with at least one group chosen from vinyl groups and allyl groups, N-vinylimidazoles, diallyl amines, vinylidene chloride, carbon-based unsaturated compounds, acrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin and methacrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin.

65. (Amended) A composition according to Claim 50, wherein said at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer (a) is chosen from N-vinylimidazoles, diallyl amines, vinylidene chloride, carbon-based unsaturated compounds, acrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin and methacrylic acid compounds quaternized with epichlorohydrin.

98. (Amended) A process for making a cosmetic product comprising including in said product at least one composition comprising:

(a) at least one silicone/acrylate copolymer; and

(b) at least one nonionic polymer comprising at least one vinyl lactam unit chosen from polyvinylpyrrolidone/vinyl acetate/vinyl propionate terpolymers,

wherein said at least one silicone/acrylate copolymer is derived from radical-mediated polymerization of:

(i) at least one ethylenically unsaturated monomer (a); and

(ii) at least one silicone derivative (b) comprising at least one oxyalkylene group.